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THE TIMORESE DEMOCRATIC UNION
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PRESS RELEASE

With pleasure, proud and emotion, the Timorese Democratic Union (UDT) anounces that one of his delegation is open in Macau, territory under the Portuguese Administration in Asia, at Rua da Praia Grande, nº 57-7º "Centro Comercial da Praia Grande" building. Tel: (853) 355524/ 376117; Fax: (853) 355524/550156.

With the "25.April.74 revolution", three political parties were born, standing up for different possibilities for the future of East Timor.

The first created association was the UDT, with the publication of his manifest on 11.May.74. Firstly, the UDT proposed an incremental participation of Timorese nationalists, in all sectors of Public Administration under Portuguese Government. Lately he began to support the independence concept after a period between 15 and 20 years which was reducing progressively to a period from 3 to 5 years in terms of the Portuguese law Nº 7/75 on East Timor descolonization, discussed in Macau summit.

The fight for self determination and independence is growing up every day, despite the indonesian offensives. This fight opens new national and international fronts for East Timor concern. On this way, the UDT decided throung his members, sympathisers and friends living in Macau, to open the delegation.

The UDT intends the following goals:

1 - **Immediate:**

1.1 - To negotiate with the Fretelin.

1.2 - To participate in the Portuguese delegation in all negotiations on the East Timor issues.

1.3 - To participate in the Transition Government, formed by a High Commissary, nominated by Portugal, on the terms of the law Nº 7/75 (East Timor descolonazation), for the effective application of the Sovereignity and Administration over the territory and its population, for the external defence, for the security and internal social peace and for the defence of citizen fundamental rights with immediate recognition, concession and application of the Portuguese citizenship law to all the East Timorese in East Timor or anywhere in the World.

1.4 - To search for political, diplomatical, technical, social and finnancial support from Portugal.

1.5 - To search for political, diplomatical, technical, social and finnancial support from private and public entities and institutions, national and international organizations.

2 - **Medium term:**

2.1 - To carry out the UN Assembly General and Security Council resolutions on East Timor issues.

2.2 - To negotiate the withdrawal of the Indonesian Army and Administration from East Timor.

2.3 - To build up an international force of intervention for East Timor.

2.4 - To organize a referendum on Integration or Independence of East Timor, on base of the above mencioned law Nº 7/75.

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3. - Long term:

3.1 - General Elections for the Constitution National Assembly

3.2 - Cessation of the Portuguese Administration and Sovereignty in East Timor with transference of powers

3.3 - Independence statement and respective international recognition

3.4 - Enrollment of East Timor as a full right member of the UN

At the moment, the UDT decides to re-organize his structure to becoming a functional and comprehensive party, even with dispersion of his members everywhere: in East Timor, Macau; Portugal, Australia ...

East Timor will win.

Macau, 23 of January of 1993

The President of Macau delegation.

Manuel Tilman (signed)

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Dear friends

In the following on of the UDT re-structuring, his members, sympathizers and friends decided to open one of his delegation in Macau.

We enclose our press release of the opening ceremony day. This delegation wants to work out with all NGOs for East Timor. We are open in business hours. We hope from you a good understanding that our organizations can work out altogether for the same goals to East Timorese.

Macau, 12.Fev.1993

Yours sincerely,

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